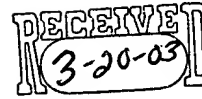


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PETITION TO WITHDRAW OFFICE ACTION

The Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner to withdraw the final Office Action mailed on February 26, 2003 and issue a Notice of Missing Parts.

The Applicant respectfully notes that a Continued Prosecution Application ("CPA") was filed on February 3, 2003 without the filing fee. The CPA contained no authorization to charge the filing fee to a deposit account, and no papers previously filed in this Application contained an authorization to charge future fees to a deposit account. As a result, the filing fee has not been paid, and the Applicants failed to receive a Notice of Missing Parts requesting payment of the filing fee.

The Applicant further notes that a prior law firm, Smart & Biggar, previously charged fees to Deposit Account 19-2550. The Applicant does not know if the PTO charged the filing fee for the

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CPA to Deposit Account 19-2550. However, a new Power of Attorney issued by assignee was filed on June 25, 2002 that effectively revoked all previous powers of attorney to prosecute this application (*MPEP* § 402.07). As a result, if the filing fee for the CPA was charged to Deposit Account 19-2550, the Applicant respectfully requests that the filing fee be refunded to Deposit Account 19-2550.

For these reasons, the Applicant respectfully requests that the final Office Action mailed on February 3, 2003 should be withdrawn and a Notice of Missing Parts should be issued.

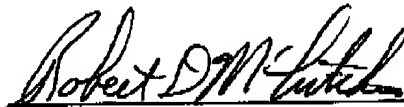
Applicant does not believe that a petition fee is due, however, if required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge proper fees connected with this communication or credit any overpayment to Davis Munck Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

Respectfully submitted,

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